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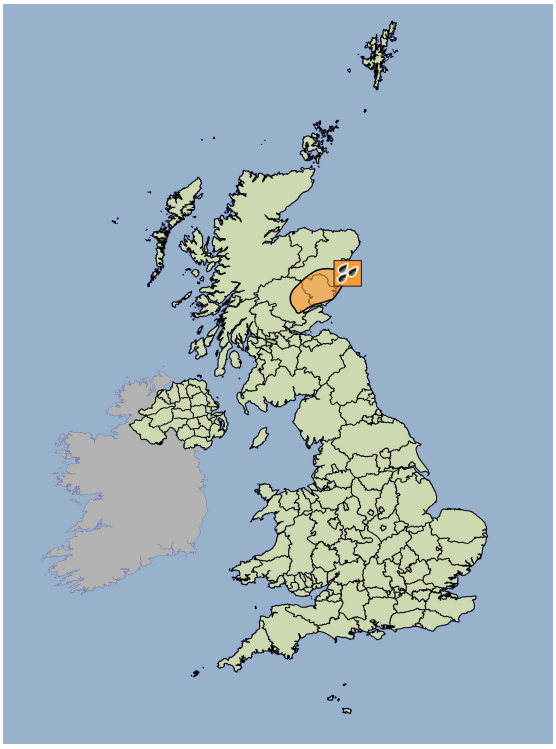

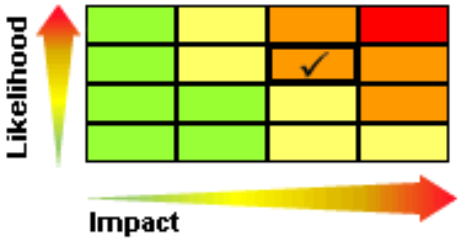

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An active frontal system is expected to move northeastwards into Scotland on Thursday and become slow-moving. Additional rainfall totals of 30-50 mm are expected quite widely with over 60 mm on high ground, while it will continue to fall as snow on the hills. There remains some uncertainty over the clearance time of the rain, so please watch out for further updates to the warning as new information becomes available. The warning should be viewed in the context of the wider yellow warning.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Thu, 07th Jan 2016** until **23:55 on Thu, 07th Jan 2016**

Further heavy and prolonged rain is expected on Thursday across much of eastern Scotland. Given the earlier exceptionally wet weather, with high river levels and saturated ground, please be prepared for further surface water and river flooding, as well as disruption to transport.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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